



Crossroads FLEX High School

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School Facts

Crossroads FLEX High School, established in 2016, is one of twenty-eight high schools within the Wake County Public School System, North Carolina designed to serve up to 150 students. The Wake County School System is the 16th largest public-school system in the U.S. with almost 160,000 students. Located in Cary, NC the community is a rapidly growing area composed of multi-suburban and small-town families that border the capital city of Raleigh and the Research Triangle Park. Crossroads FLEX High School is a digital learning school in which students take courses online or through a blended learning model with certified teachers.

Crossroads FLEX serves students whose outside interests and activities require considerable amounts of time during regular school hours, known at Crossroads FLEX as “pursuits”. As a result, students are provided the opportunity to attend school via a flexible schedule that allows time for both academics and pursuits. This can include students who are highly competitive and/or active in the arts, sports, or have other obligations such as extensive work schedules or family commitments. Partnering with North Carolina Virtual, blended learning is using both online and in-person learning experiences when teaching students. Students work independently on online lessons, projects, and assignments at home and at Crossroads FLEX. Students meet with teachers to review their learning progress, discuss their work, ask questions, and/or receive assistance with difficult concepts while meeting a required amount of seat time. Crossroads FLEX is designed to allow students to meet those obligations while meeting all requirements for high school graduation, as well as college and career readiness.

The school offers a full complement of arts, English, math, world languages, science, social studies, advanced placement, physical education, and career and technical courses. Students also have the opportunity for dual enrollment to take college courses at the local community college.

Grading System

Students who entered 2015-2016 or later

	Academic	Honors	AP	
A	90-100	4	4.5	5
B	80-89	3	3.5	4
C	70-79	2	3.5	3
D	60-69	1	2.5	2
F	<69	0	0	0
WP	Withdraw no penalty/passing			
WF	Withdraw penalty/failed			

Advanced Placement (AP) Courses

Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Computer Science A, Computer Science Principles, English Language and Composition, English Literature and Composition, Environmental Science, Government and Politics US, Human Geography, Physics 1, Psychology, Statistics, United States History, World History

Honors Courses

English I, II, III, IV, Math 1, Math 2, Math 3, Pre-Calculus, Biology, Chemistry, Earth/Environmental Science, Anatomy/Physiology, Forensic Science, World History, American History, Civics & Economics, US Civic Literacy, Psychology, Sociology, Spanish III, Spanish IV, French III, French IV, Microsoft Excel, Creative Writing.

Class Rank

Students are ranked with all members of their class using all potential credit courses. This includes credits from previously attended accredited schools except for middle schools. Honors credit is available for transfer credits where honors credit is also given at Crossroads FLEX.

Honors Distinction

Beginning in 2018-19, the WCPSS will designate the following senior honors in lieu of naming a Valedictorian or Salutatorian:

- Students with a 3.75 - 3.99 weighted grade point average shall receive the distinction of cum laude
- Students with a 4.0 - 4.249 weighted grade point average shall receive the distinction of magna cum laude
- Students with a 4.25 or higher weighted grade point average shall receive the distinction of summa cum laude

Graduation Requirements

English	4 Units
Math	4 Units (Math I, Math II, Math III and a fourth Math course)
Social Studies	4 Units (World History, American History 1 & 2 or American History and a Social Studies elective, and Civics and Economics)
Science	3 Units (Earth/Environmental Science, Biology, and a Physical Science)
Health/PE	1 Unit
Electives	10 Units (Two electives may be any combination of CTE, Arts, or Second Language. Four electives strongly recommended from one of the following: CTE, Arts, any other subject area)

Profile Statement issued by the Wake County Public School System:

As you review WCPSS transcripts, please note that there are fewer elective, AP, and Honors courses available. Recent budget reductions have affected numerous aspects of education across the state. Within our high schools, there have been reductions in the number of electives, AP and Honors courses offered, as well as number of sections or times offered during the day. This has a direct impact on our seniors and what appears on their transcripts.